

NOTICE OF FILING GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR IDWR REPORTING AREA 16, BASIN 37, PART I GROUND WATER FOR IRRIGATION AND OTHER WATER RIGHTS

On August 8, 2002, the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) filed the Director's Report for irrigation and other water rights in IDWR Basin 37, Part I Ground Water with the Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA) District Court, as well as the Notice of Filing the Director's Report. The Director's Report for your individual right was mailed to you that same day.

The general provisions for Basin 37, Part 1 Ground Water for Irrigation and Other water rights were inadvertently left out of the mailing of August 8, 2002. Therefore, IDWR is including the general provisions in this mailing. Please refer to the prior *Notice of Filing Director's Report for Basin 37, Part I Ground Water* for additional instructions, deadlines and information regarding SRBA procedures.

The director recommends that the attached general provisions be included in the decree determining rights to water from Basin 37 ground water in the area designated in the Director's Report for Basin 37, Part 1 Ground Water. As the director files Director's Reports for the remaining water rights in Basin 37, he may recommend additional general provisions that could also apply to your rights. Therefore, the director advises all claimants with rights included in the Basin 37 Part 1 Director's Report to review future Basin 37 Director's Reports as they are filed with the SRBA Court in order to review these general provisions and file objections if you disagree.

Note: The SRBA Court publishes a monthly Docket Sheet that includes when Director Reports are filed and a listing of all objections and responses filed. It does not list court dates for individual water right cases, but provides general information helpful to all participants in the SRBA.

The Docket Sheet is available at your county courthouse and at all IDWR offices, or you may subscribe by contacting the SRBA Court or IDWR. The annual subscription fee is \$7.50. The Docket Sheet is also available on the SRBA Web Site at www.srba.state.id.us.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR REVIEWING THE REMAINING WATER RIGHTS IN BASIN 37

How will I know when the Director's Reports for the remaining Basin 37 rights are filed?

Claimants can keep track of when future Director's Reports are filed by regularly reviewing the court's docket sheet or by periodically inquiring of the court or the Idaho Department of Water Resources as to when such reports are anticipated be filed. At the present time the director anticipates filing a Director's Report for Basin 37 Part 1 Surface Water rights sometime during the Fall of 2004, a Director's Report for Part 2 Ground Water and Surface Water rights (Camas Creek Drainage) sometime during the winter of 2005, and a Director's Report for Basin 37 Part 3 Ground Water and Surface Water rights (Big Wood and Little Wood above Carey) sometime during the winter of 2005. These dates may be subject to change.

BASIN 37 PART I GROUND WATER GENERAL PROVISIONS

The Director recommends that the following general provisions be included in the decree determining rights to water in the area designated in the Director's Report for Basin 37 Part 1 Ground Water. *Please note that there may be additional general provisions recommended in the future that could be applicable to your water right. Please read the accompanying notice carefully as it provides important information to you about future general provisions.*

The following water rights from the following sources of water in Basin 37 shall be administered separately from all other water rights in Basin 37 in accordance with the prior appropriation doctrine as established by Idaho law:

<u>Water Right No.</u>	<u>Source</u>
None	None

The following water rights from the following sources of water in Basin 37 shall be administered separately from all other water rights in the Snake River Basin in accordance with the prior appropriation doctrine as established by Idaho law:

<u>Water Right No.</u>	<u>Source</u>
None	None

Except as otherwise specified above, all other water rights within Basin 37 will be administered as connected sources of water in the Snake River Basin in accordance with the prior appropriation doctrine as established by Idaho law.